UWM Academic Affairs
Important Dates for 2019-20

August
19  Fall contractual period begins (through January 2, 2020)
19-20  Dean Retreat: 8-4:30, School of Continuing Education, Room 7970
20-21  Department Chair Retreat: 8-4:30, Library 4th Floor Conference Center
27  Dean/Associate Dean Academic Break-Away: 12-3, Library 4th Floor Conference Center
28  New Faculty/IAS Orientation: 12-4, Kenwood IRC, Room 1150

September
2  Labor Day – UWM CLOSED
3  Fall semester instruction begins (Tuesday)
13  UWinteriM 2020 Schedule of Classes development end date; due date for schedules in CLSS
19  Chancellor Mone’s Plenary Address: 2 p.m. Zelazo Center
20  Spring 2020 Schedule of Classes development end date; due date for schedules in CLSS
30  UWinteriM 2020 Schedule of Classes released

October
1  Department Executive Committees – initial decision on tenure and promotion
1  Faculty Sabbatical Proposals for 2020-21 due in Dean’s office
12  Panther Prowl
14  UWinteriM 2020 open enrollment period begins
16  Dean’s sabbatical nominations due in Provost’s office
21  Spring 2020 Schedule of Classes released
31  (tentative) Discovery and Innovation Grant (DIG) proposal submission deadline

November
1  UWM sabbatical selections reported to UW System Administration by Provost
4  Executive Committee compilation of external letters for promotion/tenure completed
21  (tentative) Advancing Research and Creativity (ARC) proposal submission deadline
27  First day of Thanksgiving Recess
28  Thanksgiving – UWM CLOSED

December
1  Last day of Thanksgiving Recess
2  Promotion/tenure cases due in Dean’s office from Executive Committees for on-cycle promotion
7  Spring 2020 open enrollment begins
12  Last day of semester classes
13  Study Day
14-21  Final Exams
15  Commencement
22  Winter Recess Begins
24  Christmas Eve – UWM CLOSED
25  Christmas Day – UWM CLOSED
30  Deadline to enter fall 2019 grades in PAWS
31  New Year’s Eve – UWM CLOSED
### January
1. New Year’s Day – UWM CLOSED
2. Winter Recess concludes
3. UWinteriM begins
4. Spring contractual period begins (through May 17)
5. Begin probationary faculty annual review/contract renewal review
6. Last day of UWinteriM classes
7. Martin Luther King, Jr. Day – UWM CLOSED
8. Spring semester instruction begins
9. Deadline to enter UWinteriM 2020 grades in PAWS

### February
17-25 Divisional Committee recommendations on tenure and promotions to deans

### March
9. Deans’ deadline for submission of promotion/tenure recommendations to Provost
10. Report on non-retentions due in Provost’s office
11. Spring recess for students – NO CLASSES
12. Emeritus designations due in Provost’s office
13. Report 2019-20 unclassified staff personnel activities to Provost’s office

### April
17. Department Chair advisory ballots due in Dean’s office

### May
7. Last day of classes
8. Study Day
9-19 Final Exams
17. Commencement
18. Last day of contract for faculty
19. Steam shutdown
21. Deadline to enter Spring 2020 grades in PAWS
25. Memorial Day – UWM CLOSED